



# J-Wing, Building our future together

EUH EXPANSION NEWSLETTER

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## J-Wing 2016 Year in Review

It's hard to believe we are wrapping up 2016 and heading into the final phases of the J-Wing hospital tower construction in 2017! Let's take a look back at the significant milestones and accomplishments of 2016. Thank you to the many teams who dedicated their time and expertise this year.

### January/February - Hospital exterior is underway

The exterior building enclosure, also known as the "building skin," included the installation of metal framing, insulation, marble, glass, granite, stucco, roofing and many other enclosure elements.

### March - Mock-up of acute care patient room design



The acute care patient room mock-up was located in the EUH expansion project trailers. Groups were brought through to provide input on everything from cabinet locations, window and door sizes, outlet locations to light switch configurations.

### April - Sustainability in construction

Our goal is for the new hospital bed tower to be Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) Silver Certified. This is a third-party verification that a building is designed

and built to minimize environmental impact. The J-Wing has been designed to save energy, reduce water usage and mitigate stormwater runoff.

### May - Furniture selection

Patient Family Advisors, staff and designers attended a furniture fair to select furniture for the new bed tower. Hours were spent testing everything from chairs to couches to tables; looking at details, such as seat cushions for comfort, quality and durability.

### June - Clifton Streetscape



Clifton Streetscape, a project to improve access, safety and visual appeal along Clifton Road, began in the summer of 2016 and runs through late spring/summer 2017.

### July - J-Wing bridge construction



One important aspect of the project was to construct a new, two-tiered pedestrian bridge to connect the J-Wing to the current

EUH building. The project completed 12 hours ahead of schedule with zero impact on hospital operations!

### August - Topping out ceremony

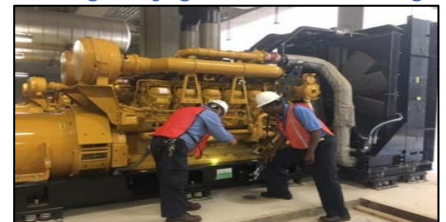


A topping out ceremony was held on Thursday, August 4, to celebrate construction reaching the ninth and final level of the J-Wing building.

### September - Transition planning

Seven transition planning teams, which include more than 100 Emory team members, are working together to ensure that patients and their families receive the same experience and level of care throughout Emory University Hospital.

### October/November - Emergency generator testing



Buck Gilley, electrician, and Tony Glover, maintenance mechanic, EUH Facilities Management, demonstrate the generator system operations. The team has been testing the system for months prior to its official activation in December 2016.

## THE PATIENT- AND FAMILY-CENTERED FACILITY INCLUDES:

- 232 patient beds.
- 450,000 square feet and nine levels.
- Patient care units for cancer and transplant.
- Diagnostic and treatment spaces.
- ICU rooms.
- General medical/surgery rooms.
- 500 underground parking spaces.
- A new pedestrian bridge concourse connects Emory University Hospital, Emory Clinic and the Winship Cancer Institute to the new J-Wing building.

## 90-DAY PROJECT LOOK-AHEAD

- Framing throughout the tower will be completed.
- Construction for a new elevator bay and new stairwell for Clinic A lobby will be completed.
- Millwork and other finishes will be completed on level 1.
- Power will be permanently generated to the hospital tower.
- Glass installation will begin on the bridge over Clifton Road.

# EUH Expansion Progress Report

Welcome to Emory University Hospital's Clifton Campus. We're sure you've noticed a lot of

construction happening! The variety of projects taking place is in preparation for the arrival of the new J-Wing bed tower, which will house transplant and oncology services, as well as a complement of critical care units.

The 450,000-square-foot, \$400 million, state-of-the-art facility will join Emory University Hospital via a two-story bridge crossing Clifton Road, allowing the hospital to expand its services and expert care, while creating an integrated, welcoming and spacious environment for patients and their families. The bridge concourse also will connect the new addition to Emory Clinic and the Winship Cancer Institute of Emory University.

The hospital addition will open its doors to patients in the summer of 2017. It will contain 232 patient beds, 40 of which are critical care beds. Patients receiving care for cancer, including surgical, medical oncology and bone marrow transplant, will be cared for in the new tower by physicians and staff from the Winship Cancer Institute, the only National Cancer Institute-designated cancer center in Georgia. Kidney, liver and pancreas transplant patients also will be treated in the new tower, expanding Georgia's most comprehensive transplant program.

Included in the new hospital tower will be diagnostic and treatment spaces, Anesthesiology Pre-operative Services and Radiology. The Radiance Boutique at Winship and retail pharmacy will move into the J-Wing, offering a more centralized shopping experience for consumers. A second EUH food venue will offer multiple dining options, including a chef's table with a teaching kitchen for patients, visitors and staff. An underground parking deck has been added with 500 parking spaces.

With patient- and family-centered care top of mind, staff, physicians and patient family advisors (PFAs) have spent hours designing not just patient care rooms, but all aspects of hospital operations to ensure the best possible patient experience and work environment. Careful planning and detail have gone into the design of each room, furniture, equipment and the surrounding care environment.



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## Assignment of patient care units by floor

- Level 9 – Bone Marrow Transplant
- Level 8 – Hematology and Medical Oncology
- Level 7 – Surgical Specialties, including Oncology, Urology, Gynecology and Gynecological Oncology
- Level 6 – Solid Organ Transplant (kidney, liver and pancreas)
- Level 5 – Critical Care
- Level 4 – Under development
- Level 3 – Under development
- Level 2 – Food services and retail
- Level 1 – Anesthesiology Pre-op Clinic and Radiology
- Underground parking

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